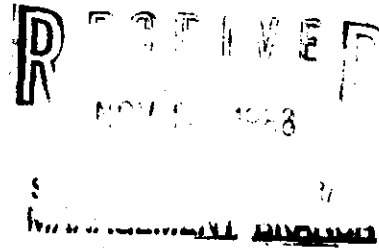


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NOVEMBER 21, 1988

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DEAR MS SWALES:

IN RESPONSE TO YOUR INQUIRY OF HIMCO LANDFILL, ELKHART, INDIANA AND OUR SUBSEQUENT TELEPHONE CONVERSATION OF NOVEMBER 21, 1988, I HOPE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS AN ADEQUATE RESPONSE. IF NOT, PLEASE CONTACT US AND ANY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION YOU NEED WILL BE FORWARDED.

WIND-O-GARD INDUSTRIES, INC. MANUFACTURES THE FRONT AWNING OR WINDOW GUARD USED ON RECREATIONAL VEHICLES. OUR PROCESS IS A JOB SHOP ASSEMBLY OPERATION IN WHICH WE PURCHASE ALUMINUM EXTRUSION AND SHEET FIBERGLASS. ALL ALUMINUM SCRAP IS RECYCLED THROUGH A LOCAL SCRAP DEALER AND A SMALL AMOUNT OF SHEET FIBERGLASS SCRAP IS HAULED AWAY WEEKLY BY HIMCO. THIS GENERALLY AMOUNTS TO LESS THAN 1000 POUNDS PER YEAR.

I ACQUIRED THE ASSETS AND TRADE NAME OF WIND-O-GARD INDUSTRIES, INC. IN JANUARY OF 1984 FROM VALLEY AMERICAN BANK IN MISHAWAKA, INDIANA. RECORDS AND INFORMATION ABOUT THE COMPANY PRIOR TO THAT DATE WERE KEPT BY THE PREVIOUS OWNER AND WE HAVE NO KNOWLEDGE OF THEIR OPERATION PRIOR TO MY ACQUISITION.

I HOPE THIS INFORMATION IS ADEQUATE FOR YOUR NEEDS.

THANK YOU VERY MUCH;



LARRY L COX  
PRESIDENT

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